

MEDICATION FOR

ATTENTION-DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER



Children with ADHD may have behavior problems that lead to trouble with family, friends and at school.

In 2011-2012, 7 in 10 children (69%) with a current diagnosis of ADHD* were taking medication for ADHD.

Medication can help a child with ADHD in their everyday life.



Behavior therapy can also be a helpful part of treatment.

**These children were reported by a parent as having ADHD at the time of the survey.*



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If you have concerns about your child and ADHD, complete a checklist about their behavior and bring it to your child's healthcare provider:
www.cdc.gov/adhd